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PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Filing Date	February 14, 1998
Group Art Unit	1638
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RESISTANT SOYBEANS AND METHODS OF BREEDING AND IDENTIFYING RESISTANT  
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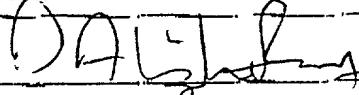
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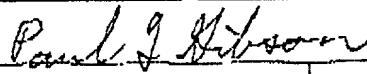
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